

Hunger-Cries in Europe Bid Us: 'Get Out of War'

AN EDITORIAL

"TO WIN" is Great Britain's "war aim." That was the declaration of Viscount Halifax at this first press conference in Washington Monday. Such is all his lordship can offer as the goal of British imperialism in the war.

For this—that the Indian people may continue in chains, that Ireland may be further exploited, that Egypt may remain a British imperialist province—it is that the peoples are suffering and dying.

In order that British imperialism may "win"—and in order that its rival, German imperialism may "win"—a cloud of starvation blankets Western Europe.

From Vichy, even as the noble lord spoke, the United Press wires brought this report from a medical expert: "If things go on as at present, we are running the risk of seeing Frenchmen of coming generations become dwarfs, physically and mentally."

From Belgium arrived news of grim starvation, of people eating chestnuts, instead of meat and bread, of dire lack of food. By Feb. 15—a few short days away—even the breadstuffs for the present impossible Belgian rations will be exhausted.

The people of England itself are on a rationing system. Their allowances of meat, bread and other food-stuffs are cut sharply by the war government—while the lords and ladies of the "upper classes" enjoy their rich viands.

Gaunt want stalks Europe. Epidemics threaten to enter the huts of the starving. The sharp pangs of hunger are prostrating thousands of human beings.

In terms of human flesh and blood, this the price which is being paid—by the people—in order that one or the other of the imperialist brigand camps may rule the world. Those who force or persuade the people to pay this price—the money kings and their lordly agents—loll around in well-protected luxury, coining profits off the shrinking flesh of the hunger-stricken millions.

After this long toll of death and malnutrition—of a generation of "dwarfs, mentally and physically"—what then? Lord Halifax states that "after victory" British imperialism will "join with others in so reconstructing the world that there will not have to be another war."

If the thousands of soldiers who lie, row after row, in Flanders—killed in the first imperialist war—could raise their heads and speak, they would brand as a lie this false statement by the Briton. "The war to end wars" was the battle-cry which led these men to their untimely death.

The men in the counting-houses of London and New York were triumphant in that conflict. What did they do to assure the peace of the world? They proceeded to plant the seeds at once for the war that is now cursing the human race.

Out of their thirst for empire, we have today in France—as a counterpart of other sections of warring territory—state of affairs where "the problem of keeping alive overshadows all other problems for the French rank and file." So says Anne O'Hare McCormick in Monday's New York Times.

Her somber account goes on: "They are thinking of nothing but the day's food, of hearing from son or father in the prison camp, of locating lost members of the almost universally separated families."

In these reports of the horror in Western Europe, American fellow-citizens, there is presented the "Lease-Lend Bill" in human terms.

It is for the extension of this inhuman misery that the War-Dictator measure is being pressed in Congress—in order that the American people may be brought into the orbit of this orgy of destruction, in order that the dance of death may be broadened and deepened throughout the world.

The Morgans and Rockefellers—who brought on the crime of 1917—are again unitedly behind this new bloody adventure and this dictatorial measure.

Stop this carnage, fellow-Americans, before it is too late! Churchill talks of extending the war into 1944 and Hitler boasts of a war that will last five years. The peoples of Europe hear such menacing statements—which spell more destruction, epidemics, the crippling of young and old—with dread. They will rise to enforce a people's peace, if the people of America will not permit the extension of the conflict.

The hunger-cries from Western Europe can spur us on, more loudly to insist: "Get out and stay out of the war!" Such a successful command by the people here—in the defeat of the "Lease-Lend Bill," in the ending of all aid to the British Empire—would speed on a people's peace. That would be the beginnings of a permanent peace, for those who thrive off war would be in the seats of British and German power no more.

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By Louis F. Budenz

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CIO, AFL Unions Hit Blacklist at Teachers Rally

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100 Unions Pledge Support to Local 5

Teachers' Membership Approves Report of Executive Board

Pledging its continued and intensified activity in defense of public education the AFL Teachers Union, Local 5, at an emergency general membership meeting at Manhattan Center last night, approved a report of its executive board on the Court of Appeals ruling forcing the union to surrender its membership lists.

Representatives of about 100 New York unions at the meeting specifically went on record to support legislation to prohibit seizure of trade union membership lists by investigating committees, protested the seizure of the Local 5 membership lists by the Rapp-Coudert Committee and warned Senator Coudert not to subject teachers to discrimination by disclosing the names of union members. The AFL and CIO union spokesmen pledged full cooperation with the Teachers Union in the fight for full state aid to education.

HENDLEY REPORTS

Charles Hendley, president of Local 5, in opening the meeting said that the last ditch insofar as the courts were concerned, seemed to have been reached in the fight, but that the struggle was not by any means settled.

He characterized the Court of Appeals decision as a stage "in the defense of our own lists and lists of other trade unions."

Among the unions represented at the meeting were the CIO International Fur and Leather Workers, the New York Newspaper Guild, the American Communications Association, the AFL Amalgamated Butcher Workers, Local 807 Teamsters Union.

William G. Mulligan, counsel for the teachers union, outlined the whole legal battle which the union has been conducting from Oct. 15, 1940 to protect the inviolability of its membership list.

The Executive Board's statement follows:

"From Oct. 15, 1940, to Jan. 27, 1941, the Teachers Union used every legal means to protect the inviolability of its membership list. The decision of the Court of Appeals left the Union no further legal recourse. Accordingly, the Union yielded its membership lists to the Rapp-Coudert Committee.

"Some people have asked, 'Why did the Union go to all that trouble? Does it have something to hide?' Several fundamental reasons impelled us to carry the battle as far as we have and to prepare to carry it further to secure necessary legislation.

"We do not trust the aims and methods of the Coudert Committee. The very reasons it gives for demanding the lists arouse suspicion. 'Subversive activities' cannot be uncovered by scanning a list of over 5,000 names. We believe the real intention behind the demand for membership lists to be the creation of fear and suspicion among

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New Draft Will Take 414 Negroes In N. Y. Area

Four hundred and fourteen Negroes will be among 7,944 New Yorkers who will come under the fifth draft call between Feb. 17 and 28, it was disclosed yesterday with the announcement of new quotas.

In the Second Corps Area, which includes New Jersey and Delaware as well as New York, a total of 10,644 youths will be conscripted, among them a total of 599 Negroes. Negro training points (camps in which Negro conscripts are to be segregated) had been delayed, it was said.

360,000 in War Games in June

HATTIESBURG, Miss., Jan. 28.—Army maneuvers involving more than five times the number of troops the United States ever assembled in peacetime war games will be held in June and July, it was announced here today. Major Gen. R. S. Eggerle Jr., commanding the 37th Division at Camp Shelby, said 360,000 soldiers would participate in an area yet to be selected.

Belgian Food Shortage Acute; Report Bread Will Soon Disappear

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LETTER FROM PARIS STUDENT REVEALS:

Nazis Machine-Gun Students Demonstrating in Paris, School Movement Against Occupation Army, Vichy, Grows

Students of the University of Paris, organized to combat repressive measures, have secured concessions from the Occupation Authorities, according to a letter dated "Paris, December 31, 1940," and airmailed from Lyon, January 3, 1941, received here by Helen Simon, Director of the American Youth Fellowship Campaign of the American Youth Congress.

According to the correspondent, whose name is known but cannot be revealed for reasons of safety, after the machine-gunning and wholesale arrest of Armistice Day student demonstrators, and the adoption of punitive measures against the entire student body, "admitting that the strong-arm method did not produce results, the authorities were obliged to release Professor Langevin . . . to suspend measures against the students and to permit the reopening of the University at the beginning of January."

TEXT OF LETTER

A translation of the letter follows:

"Since the new term in October there has been a strong current among the students particularly in Paris (where half of all French students are located) against

the German occupation and against the Vichy Government's policy of profiting from the protection of German bayonets to impose reaction upon the French people.

"The arrest of Professor Langevin gave rise to a series of open demonstrations in student circles, and notably an attempt to demonstrate at the beginning of November in front of the Collège de France where Professor Langevin taught. At the same time, in several classes at the Sorbonne, students left the lecture halls en masse because some uniformed Germans were attending. The movement includes not only university students, but also high school (lycée) and technical school pupils.

"A culminating point in the movement was reached when university and high school students went en masse on November eleventh to the Etoile and the Arc de Triomphe to demonstrate for the liberty and independence of France. The German Army machine-gunned the demonstrators, killing six and wounding several. Besides, more than 200 demonstrators were arrested, and November 18th the faculties and all the institutions of higher learning were closed. These measures had great repercussions among the students, reinforcing their decision to resist, and also among the people who demonstrated their sym-

pathy with the students. A whole series of repressive measures were taken at the same time by the German occupation authorities; return to the provinces of all students whose parents were not domiciled in Paris, and obligation of all students to report each day to the Commissariats of Police.

JEWS BANNED

"Simultaneously the Vichy Government carried on an offensive against the French Universities. Teachers' Training Schools are suppressed to stop peasants' sons from becoming teachers; all who are more or less sympathetic to the progressive movement are being dismissed from the teaching positions; Jewish Frenchmen are driven from the teaching field.

"The Rector of the University of Paris, Roussy, who tried to follow a conciliatory policy, was dismissed after November 11th and replaced by Carcopino, who spent the last ten years in Rome. He was given the task of breaking the resistance of the students and professors. After six weeks, admitting that strong-arm methods did not produce results, the authorities were obliged to release Professor Langevin, who is at present interned "sur parole" in the town of Troyes, to suspend the measures against the

students and to permit the reopening of the University at the beginning of January.

"Italy's difficulties, Laval's exclusion, the successes already won by their movement, have only served to reinforce the student movement. A 'Committee of Students and Professors for the defense of the University of Paris' has circulated numerous documents (Letter to Roussy, Letter to Carcopino, The Arrest of Professor Langevin) —not only among the students, but also the population at large, to such an extent that on several occasions the newspapers have been obliged to mention them.

"All the newspapers in the occupied and free zones have carried on a campaign against the student movement, grossly insulting the students and trying to misrepresent their movement. The French police, under orders of the authorities, have carried out numerous arrests for 'Communist propaganda.' At the beginning of December 18 students (of whom 4 were girls) were arrested, and several days ago an intern and a girl externe were arrested at the Hôpital de la Salpêtrière.

"Under these conditions, the new term in January will doubtless witness a renewal and a strengthening of the student movement."

Mexicans Urge Gov't to Widen Refugee Asylum

Uruguay Parliament Praised for Asking Amnesty for Spanish Prisoners in France; Urge Intervention to Save Victims

By Alfred Miller
(Special to the Daily Worker)

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 28.—Highly praising the action taken by the Parliament of Uruguay in favor of Spanish Republicans still in French concentration camps or prisoners of France, the FOARE (Federation of Organizations to Aid Republican Spain) addressed both houses of the Mexican legislature here last week asking for "the most extensive support of the right of asylum policy which is making our fatherland a land of liberty for all those outlawed because they defended Republican Spain."

The message signed by Professor Jose Mansurdo, FOARE president and famous Mexican writer, comes shortly after Mexico's Minister of the Interior declared that Spanish Republican immigration would be limited by selection.

"The democratic sentiments of the peoples of our hemisphere, united by strong desire for peace and friendship with the peoples of other continents, has found expression in the Parliament of Uruguay, which, interpreting the popular protest against the conditions to which the Spanish people are condemned in Spain as well as outside of Spain in French concentration camps, has recently passed the following motions:

"A resolution addressed to the Government of General Franco; the Chamber of Representatives of Uruguay asks amnesty for all political prisoners and expresses its fervent wish that executions of these prisoners be stopped," the address reads.

The FOARE further explains that the Chamber of Representatives of Uruguay has asked its government to "immediately intervene with the French Government to prevent more Spanish refugees from being surrendered to Franco."

It has asked further that the Government of Uruguay make concerted efforts together with the governments of the other American countries "to get transportation so that the Spanish refugees may be evacuated from France and brought to Mexico and other countries which have offered hospitality."

And finally the Chamber asked "that large contingents of these refugees be permitted to come to Uruguay."

CITE FRANCO TERROR
"The Mexican Congress may notice," the FOARE points out, "that this action of the Uruguayan legislature fully coincides with the popular sentiment in our country and with our immigration policy which, doubtlessly, has been a stimulus to the Chamber of Representatives of Uruguay."

"And since the sentiment of our people can be expressed more surely and authoritatively by its representatives, we respectfully ask the Permanent Commission of Congress to repeat the action of the Parliament of Uruguay and to transmit to the Government of General Franco its desire for the freedom of the political prisoners and that the executions and shootings be stopped and that freedom also be given to our countrymen Roberto Vega Gonzalez, Jose Gomez Moctezuma, and Jose Miranda, who have been held prisoners since before the end of the war in Spain."

"We further ask your intervention with the Government of Vichy and the German government to stop the continued surrender of interned in France to the Government of General Franco."

"Finally, we respectfully ask the Honorable Commission to give most extensive support to the right of asylum policy which is making our fatherland a land of liberty for all those outlawed because they defended Republican Spain and that those treated as slaves elsewhere, no longer be slaves upon the generous soil of Mexico."

Italians Fight Bitterly to Hold Albanian Port

Greek Offensive Nears Valona, Italians Use Navy Guns

ATHENS, Jan. 28 (UP)—A strong offensive today carried Greek forces toward Italy's key Albanian port of Valona in the face of bitter Fascist resistance by land, sea and air as the Greek war entered its fourth month, according to front-line dispatches.

The Italians were said to have thrown swarms of tanks, infantry and bombing planes at the Greeks in an effort to stall their drive, while Italian warships shelled the Greek rear lines along the Adriatic coast south of Klimara to the Greek border.

The Italian warships scored hits on the famous Pikerion monastery.

Italian counter-attacks spearheaded by light and heavy tanks north of Klimara on the coastal road to Valona were said to have been repulsed with heavy Fascist losses before the Hellenic troops launched their strong offensive.

GREEKS SAY ITALIAN ATTACKS REPULSED

SOFIA, Jan. 28 (UP).—The Greek radio reported tonight that three Italian counter-offensives on the central Albanian front have been shattered by Greek infantry and artillery, with the loss of four Italian tanks in the last attack.

N. Y.-New Jersey Draftees Arrive In N. Carolina

PT. BRAGG, N. C., Jan. 28 (UP).—The first of five trainloads of New York and New Jersey draftees arrived at Fort Bragg today for their year of training in the United States Army.

Five hundred new men were aboard the train in charge of Capt. H. G. Simmonite, 36th Infantry, who took a group of officers and enlisted men from Camp Dix, N. J., to escort the draftees to Fort Bragg.

Most of the new men will be assigned to the recently-created Ninth Division stationed here. Their training will be in the 47th and 39th Infantry.

Four additional trainloads, each comprising 500 draftees, are scheduled to leave Camp Dix this week. The new group of 2,500 men will join 2,000 New York and New Jersey trainees who arrived from Camp Dix and Camp Upton, N. Y., last week for assignment to the Ninth Division.

Britain Plans Forced Labor for Italians

LONDON, Jan. 28 (UP).—War Minister David Margesson today confirmed in the House of Commons reports current last week that Britain planned to bring a number of Italian prisoners of war to England for agricultural and other work.

Margesson said a suggestion that the Italian prisoners be set free on the island of Rhodes in the Dodecanese had been rejected as impracticable.

British Shipping Losses Take Upward Swing

LONDON, Jan. 28 (UP).—Shipping lost by enemy action during the week ended midnight, Jan. 19, took an upward swing, totaling 58,212 tons, including five British vessels aggregating 34,772 tons and six allied ships totaling 23,440 tons, the Admiralty said today.

It ended a three week period in which shipping losses had been very low. Losses for the week ended midnight Jan. 12 were 30,225 tons.

The FOARE was organized at the beginning of the Spanish war. It represents millions of progressive Mexicans, including such organizations as the trade unions of this country, the peasants' movement, the Party of the Mexican Revolution and other organizations. Action on its petition by the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate is expected soon.



14 Soldiers Hurt in Fire: Here is the charred wreckage of regimental headquarters at Fort Ontario, Oswego, N. Y., where 14 soldiers were hurt as flames started by a boiler explosion, swept the building. The victims were members of Harlem's 389th Coast Artillery Regiment (Negro), an anti-aircraft unit which had just begun a year's training. Several thousand rounds of small-calibre ammunition exploded, but none of the men was hit.

British Drive in Eritrea Meets No Opposition

WITH BRITISH FORCES IN ERITREA, Jan. 28 (UPI)—Gen. Ion Antonescu, Premier, ill at his home with grippe, announced today that he would personally direct Romania's foreign policy, based on unhesitating support of the Berlin-Rome axis.

In an advance of more than 70 miles up to Jan. 24 British forces have encountered the Italians only three times.

Biscaia, terminus of Eritrea's only railroad, was occupied by the British today. From Biscaia the railroad turns to Asmara, the capital of Eritrea, and on to the Red Sea at Massawa, the port for Eritrea.

FREE FRENCH FORCES DRIVE INTO LIBYA
CAIRO, Jan. 28 (UP).—General Charles de Gaulle's "Free French" forces, striking 825 miles across the desert from French equatorial Africa, have driven into the heart of Italian Libya in a huge encirclement of the badly battered Fascist Army. It was stated tonight.

Metaxas Binds the Greek People to Britain's War Machine, But the CP Leads Fight for a Peoples' Peace

By E. Papaoannou
(Special to Intercontinent News)

SOFIA (By Mail)—British capital is so widely invested in Greece that the country has been looked upon as a British semi-colony.

Greek workers and peasants are ruthlessly exploited by both the British and foreign capitalists, their average wage being approximately sixty to seventy-five cents a day.

The only conceivable policy that could have kept Greece away from the clutches of the imperialists would have been one of strict neutrality based upon the closest understanding with the Soviet Union.

But such a policy required the establishment of a People's Government at home. The Communist Party of Greece, with its fifteen deputies and a strong influence on the Greek working class, for years strove to bring such a government into being, but, thanks to the policy of the Venizelist leaders and

London Under Severe Daylight Nazi Attack

England Suffers Heavy Blizzard; Some Areas Without Food

LONDON, Jan. 28 (UP).—German bombers took advantage of low clouds and fog today to break eight days and nights of calm and give the battered British capital its longest daylight air attack since last September.

By mid-afternoon four alarms had sounded in London and high explosive and incendiary bombs were dropped in a number of districts.

The sirens wailed new warnings in some cases only a few minutes after sounding an all-clear. Anti-aircraft batteries fired heavily and fairly continuously in many sections of the city. The attack, however, was not heavy compared with several night raids.

BIG GUNS IN ACTION
There were some casualties and dwellings and shops were damaged by bombs.

For the first time in more than a week, the German long range guns on the French channel coast broke silence and shelled Dover early tonight, firing at regular intervals across the fog-shrouded straits.

Correspondents were permitted to reveal that Britain has just dug out of one of the worst blizzards and cold waves in years—which no doubt played an important part in keeping planes on the ground. The storm disrupted communications and food distribution and isolated some sections.

Meanwhile, protests against the suppression are continuing on a national scale, particularly in factories and labor organizations. Protests in the great shipbuilding area in the Clydebank are particularly strong.

GALLACHER SPEAKS TO RALLY
A huge audience in Glasgow heard William Gallacher denounce the ban. Three thousand packed the hall, with hundreds turned away. After passing a resolution demanding that the ban be withdrawn, the audience contributed 358 pounds for the defense funds.

German planes today also attacked the British Mediterranean island of Malta, it was said, "scorning a number of hits on and in front of hangars, causing considerable damage."

U. S. Luxury Liner Still Aground at Florida

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 28 (UP).—Two salvage tugs pulled the bow of the grounded liner Manhattan 35 to 40 feet at flood tide today, but the stern remained fast on a sandbar 300 yards from shore.

There will not be another flood tide Feb. 7.

Metaxas Binds the Greek People to Britain's War Machine, But the CP Leads Fight for a Peoples' Peace

By E. Papaoannou
(Special to Intercontinent News)

the undercover influence of British imperialism, no such government came to power.

Instead, King George who was an exile in England was brought back to the Greek throne after an elaborately rigged election.

The return of the King paved the way for the coming to power of the fascist General Metaxas by a military coup. This was the signal for the most vicious attacks ever made by any government on the workers and peasants and on their leadership, the Communist Party.

Although General Metaxas pursued a strong pro-German policy, to the extent of ousting Britain from her traditional privileged trade position (most of the curacao and tobacco crop went to Germany in exchange for industrial goods and out-of-date warplanes), the British Government, busy carrying out the policy of "appeasement," preferred that to the prospect of a Greek People's Government.

General and Italian police agents were imported to organize a Greek Gestapo.

Thousands of Communists and militant workers were arrested, beaten up in the most brutal manner and deported to some tiny rock islands better known as the Islands of Death. Scores of intellectuals were herded away to these islands to die a slow, bitter death. The trade unions were smashed and their funds taken to finance the fascist party.

ISLANDS OF DEATH
The illegal Communist Party of Greece is fighting for the people's way out, for a real People's government and a People's peace.

Commons Debates Gag On British Daily Worker

Willkie Sits in Gallery During Heated Debate; Protest Against Fascist-Like Ban Are Growing Throughout England

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ers and metal workers. The miners especially, who compose the main part of the working population, are thoroughly angry.

The Executive Committee of the South Wales Miners' Federation meets today, and is certain to pass a protest resolution. The Federation represents 120,000 miners.

Public meetings against the Daily Worker ban have been held in Oxford, Birmingham, Newcastle, London, Stockton, Norwich, and other towns and cities.

WILLKIE SITS IN COMMONS DEBATE

LONDON, Jan. 28 (UP).—Wendell Willkie arrived late at Commons today and sat in the distinguished strangers' gallery watching the scene intently while the House debated the suppression of the Daily Worker and the two Communist organs. He rested his head on his hands and followed closely proceedings in the ancient chamber.

When Willkie left the gallery he was taken to the office of Maj. Clement Attlee, Labor member of the War Cabinet. There he met Attlee, Arthur Greenwood, another Labor member of the inner Cabinet and Baron Grenfell. He lunched with them in the strangers' dining room.

LIKES MR. BEVAN
Willkie was particularly impressed with Ernest Bevin, called by many the most powerful member of Churchill's official family.

"Bevin is a great guy," Willkie said enthusiastically. "I would have liked to have spent another hour with him. I just didn't notice the time, I was so interested."

The Republican Presidential nominee later talked at length with Montague Norman, governor of the Bank of England; Sir Kingsley Wood, Chancellor of the Exchequer; Arthur Cardinal Hinsley, head of the Catholic Church in Britain; and had tea with Lady Astor, Virginia-born member of Parliament. Dinner with Lord Beaverbrook, Minister for Aircraft Production, completed a busy day's schedule.

Rich Italians Hoard Food, Poor Hungry

Italian Newspaper Says Wealthy Buying Up All Supplies

ROME, Jan. 27 (UP).—Charges that wealthy Italians were hoarding and harming the poorer classes by buying up all the country's available food supplies were made today by Giovanni Ansaldi, writing in Foreign Minister Count Galenazzo Ciano

C.I.O. Flays U.S. Gov't for Callous Neglect of Housing; Proposes 10,000 New Prefabricated Homes a Month

Gives Figures Showing Acute Need of Homes

Blames Acute Shortage of Workers' Dwellings on Land Owners

(Special to the Daily Worker)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Charging that the Federal government has appropriated less than one-seventh of the money authorized by Congress for defense housing, the CIO today made public its plan for speedy production of 10,000 prefabricated homes a month to meet the national housing crisis.

The plan was made public by Thomas Kennedy, secretary of the Housing Committee of the CIO.

In demanding an "all-out" campaign to "smash the bottleneck" that has tied up construction of homes by the CIO lashed out strongly against the U. S. Public Building Administration.

The committee of the CIO revealed that two and one-half months since Congress appropriated \$150,000,000 to extend housing, especially in the areas where war production brought great influx of population, contracts for only 8,800 units on 21 projects have been let.

ASK NEW AGENCY

The CIO demands the setting up of a new agency by the government to direct expansion of housing.

"The lack of adequate housing facilities for families of defense industrial workers is an acute problem and one that calls for swift and efficient action," said the committee's report. "All segments of the industry capable of making a contribution would be mobilized and put to work without further delay."

The CIO declared that construction of prefabricated houses has several advantages. It is pointed out that the pre-fabricated houses could be moved to other localities when the war boom ends so they would not be a dead loss to the government.

LAND OWNERS BALK

The CIO points out that real estate interests refuse to invest on the basis of the sudden demand for housing in many localities, anticipating that as soon as defense orders are filled unemployment and depopulation of the areas would follow.

The CIO further makes the claim that pre-fabricated houses would not require as much building trades labor at many localities where the homes are immediately needed.

Such houses, could after the defense production spurt, be used for the "rural" housing needs of the South; to the needs of the Bureau of Indian Affairs; and to the needs of many other governmental agencies where good, low-cost housing is a real part of worth-while social programs," the committee declared.

GOP-Tiger Scramble for Simpson Seat

Witchhunter Couder Is Favored as Candidate for Republicans

Funeral services for Congressman Kenneth Simpson were hardly concluded yesterday at St. James Episcopal Church where Republican and Tammany leaders were rallying forces to pick contending candidates for the 17th District post in the House of Representatives.

Manhattan Republican leaders, headed by GOP County Chairman Thomas Curran, stated there would be little opposition in their ranks to a proposal to nominate State Senator Frederic R. Couder, now heading the witch hunt against the school system, to run for Congress in the coming special elections in the silk stocking district.

O'CONNOR MAY RUN

Men from Tammany Hall say they are certain their candidate will be John J. O'Connor, former representative from the 16th Congressional District and old-time leader.

Bruce Barton, who preceded Simpson as the representative from the 17th District and was defeated in the race for U. S. Senate last November, is reported as having declined to run as the GOP choice for the Simpson post.

Eugene P. O'Connell, chairman of the New York County Committee of the American Labor Party, declined to make any statement concerning plans of the ALP.

Last year Morris Wilson, vice-president of the American News-paper Guild, was the ALP candidate for Congress in the 17th District.

The Manhattan ALP leaders said their position would be made known following an executive committee meeting which would have to be called after the Governor had ordered a special election.

The labor candidate will be nominated at that time, the ALP leaders said.

Teachers' Leader Hits Lehman's 'Appeasing' Of Big Realty Owners

Monopolists Pleased at Governor's Slicing of Budget; Reactionary 'Tax Payers' Groups Demand Further Slashes

By S. W. Gerson

(Daily Worker Staff Correspondent)

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 28.—Governor Lehman's executive budget is a move towards "appeasing" the large realty owners of the State. Dr. Bella Dodd, legislative representative of the New York State Federation of Teachers' Unions, charged today.

Assailing the Governor's reduction of unemployment relief appropriations and his placid acceptance of the 1940 legislature's two per cent increase in the state's defense budget, Lehman indicated that her organizations would demand further slashes.

While various groups were bombarding the capitol with comments on the Governor's budget, Lehman was presiding over a meeting of more than 250 persons, practically all men, who compose various local defense councils.

Evidently seeking to tighten the state's already defense machinery and placate small manufacturers who have been pushed away from the war order gravy bowl, Lehman called on the meeting to discuss two things:

- Using existing facilities for defense production.
- Farming out orders to subcontractors.

The Governor put considerable emphasis on the latter, indicating a recognition of considerable middle class resentment against the hogging of war orders by large monopolies.

Others who spoke on the same theme included W. S. Shipley, of York, Pa., author of the so-called "York Plan" of polling local facilities for war production; Lewis Mankowski, representing the giant Sperry Company, holders of immense defense orders; Peter Neuhans and Pierce Williams of the Knudsen-Hillman offices in Washington, and Mark Daly of the Associated Industries.

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Expect More Than 500 at A.P.M. Peace Lobby Saturday

Unions Rally For Trip to Washington

Neff Warns That Prompt Action Is Needed to Defeat HR 1776

Trade unionists were warned yesterday that immediate and joint action of all people's and workers' organizations to halt passage of HR 1776 is necessary if the country is to be kept out of the present European war.

In a letter to more than 300 labor organizations in New York City, Dr. Walter Scott Neff, executive secretary of the American Peace Mobilization, New York Council, urged trade union participation in the coming people's "peace lobby" in Washington on Saturday, Feb. 1.

"The lend-lease bill," Dr. Neff said, "reveals to all how perilously close we are to actual participation with troops in the senseless slaughter in Europe. It shows, also, how rapidly the war forces are driving toward the establishment of a full-fledged military dictatorship."

The peace lobby, Dr. Neff declared, will be a joint effort of trade unionists and members of church, fraternal, youth, women's and neighborhood organizations from the principal industrial centers of the Eastern seaboard states.

"We must make it clear to Congress and to the President," the letter continued, "that we support neither intervention nor appeasement, that America's security, her freedom demands that we stay out of this war."

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Meanwhile, various reports show that more than 500 delegates from trade unions, church, fraternal and youth organizations from New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore will join the lobby in Washington Saturday.

The delegates will present to Congress and the President petitions signed by thousands of persons opposing the measure. They will demand representation for their spokesmen before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee hearings on the bill.

Special round-trip tickets have been arranged by the APM, 381 Fourth Ave., for \$4.85. A special train will leave Penn station Friday shortly after midnight and the return train leaves Washington the next night at 8 o'clock. Those who intend to go by automobile should report to the APM at Murray's Hall, 920 U St., Washington, at 8 o'clock Saturday morning.

Hotel Wage Dispute Goes To Arbitration

Following a dead-lock in negotiations for wage increases between the New York Hotels Trades Council and the Hotel Association, the issue was yesterday placed before an arbitration committee of three with impartial chairman Edward P. Mulrooney the deciding voice.

This Hotel Trades Council, to name its representative next Thursday, demands a 10 per cent wage increase, with a minimum \$2 weekly raise for every one of some 20,000 workers under contract. Reduction in hours to 44 a week, 40 for the mechanics is also demanded.

The Council points to the rise in the cost of living and increase in business for the hotels, as reason for the demand. The demand is made on the basis of a clause in the general contract which permits reopening of the wage clause.

The decision of the arbitration commission is to be retroactive as of Dec. 1.

Hitler May Speak

BERLIN, Wednesday, Jan. 29 (UPI)—Adolf Hitler may deliver a speech tomorrow dealing with the course of the war on the eighth anniversary of his rise to power as chancellor of the Reich, informed Nazi quarters said early today.

Text of Recommendations For a Peace Convention

(Special to the Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 28—Following is the complete text of the recommendations for a mass American People's Peace Convention to be held in New York City on April 5 and 6, and the 24th anniversary of America's entry into the last war. The proposals were made by the Working Conference for Peace which was held here over the weekend under auspices of the American Peace Mobilization:

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Text of Proposals for a Trade Union Peace Drive

(Special to the Daily Worker)

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Conference for Peace, representing 77 CIO and AFL unions and state local councils, recommends:

A peace committee in every local trade union in the United States.

A peace committee in every local and state council to stimulate and coordinate peace action in their community's local unions.

Enrollment of organized and unorganized workers into the peace movement—hence into the labor movement—by local peace committees.

Financial support of the American Peace Mobilization by unions on an affiliation basis.

Active support by AFL councils and clubs of all labor struggles in their neighborhoods.

Labor is being asked to make sacrifices at the same time that labor's employers are receiving juicy war subsidies, such as Ford and Bethlehem.

Labor's basic right to strike—is constitutional right to refuse involuntary servitude—is being threatened by the government, it is.

The climax of the attack on labor is reached in the introduction of HR 1776 which would empower the President of the United States to wipe out trade unions with one sweep of his pen.

By this same course labor unions were wrecked in Germany, Italy and France, and are being wrecked in England.

To stay out of total war and return the United States to a neutral position and normal course of life, the labor panel of the Working

British Lose 24th Submarine in War

LONDON, Jan. 28 (UPI)—The 1,096-ton submarine Triton is overdue and must be considered lost, the Admiralty announced tonight. The vessel, completed in 1938, carried a normal complement of 53 officers and men.

The Triton, the 24th British submarine admitted lost since the start of the war, was a sister ship of the Thetis, which sank during trials off Liverpool in June, 1939

slightly improved last night, after an operation Saturday and a subsequent blood transfusion, but his condition remained serious.

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DROP 'CONFESSION'

Perhaps the most startling development of the day came when the prosecution rested its case without producing what was once referred to as "confession" which had been won from Spell after 15 hours of grilling by Greenwich police and FBI men.

After Spell had told his story in court, attorney Friedman asked him if he had given the Greenwich



Union Made Production: Out of the toddling age and into a strut, these Ventura County (California) Majorettes are capturing prizes all over Southern California. It's a union-made troupe sponsored by the Ventura Central Trades Labor Union (AFL).

Bayside Stoppage Off Pending Negotiations

Workers at Jersey War Plant Meet Company's 'Challenge' for Conference by Returning to Work, But Vote to Strike If Talks Fail

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day over the firing of William Wolfe, an active union member.

Although the immediate cause of the stoppage was the firing of Wolfe, a meeting of the employees yesterday shortly after the walkout decided to press the local's demands for a collective bargaining election in the plant for which the local petitioned to the NLRB six weeks ago. These two demands, reinstatement of the discharged union member and a labor board election, will form the basis of negotiations between the local and the company which will be held tonight at the Phelps Dodge offices at 40 Wall St.

GIVE STRIKE AUTHORITY

Agreement to return to work came after the workers met this afternoon and received word that Wylie Brown, \$50,000-a-year company president, had stated the company would refuse to confer upon the workers' grievances until production in the plant was resumed. The company manufactures copper products and tubing and has large orders from the U. S. Navy.

Decision to return to work, so that a conference could be initiated at once, was backed by a resolution which stated that unless the company made good its promise to negotiate and signs a stipulation agreeing to an election, the execu-

tive board of the union would be empowered to call a strike.

Neil Brant, New Jersey regional director of the UERWA, said the local's action had been taken to "call any bluff" that the company might make. He said the local's resolution, empowering the executive board to call a strike if negotiations fail, would be carried through without delay.

NEGROES, WOMEN PICKET

Almost a third of the workers of the plant are Negroes. In addition several hundred women are employed. All took part in the stoppage and helped maintain a 24-hour "watch" at the plant gates.

Before the stoppage was called off, local president Ernest Todd permitted furnace-men to enter the plant to tap furnaces so that plant property would not be damaged.

The Phelps-Dodge Bayside plant is one of a string of plants, railroads, mines and public utilities owned by the corporation throughout the country. One of the largest stockholders is J. P. Morgan & Co.

Workers in the Bayside plant charge that the plant has been producing copper gun tubing and other military products for Japan.

It was reported that William Gann, government conciliator, would attend tonight's parley.

Italy Rations Spaghetti Even In Restaurants

ROME, Jan. 27 (UP)—Giuseppe Tassanini, agriculture minister, decreed today that effective February 1 no spaghetti, rice or other rationed food will be served in any restaurant in Italy except on presentation of a ration card.

As a concession, however, spaghetti and rice will be served every day in restaurants instead of five days a week as heretofore.

This will be the first time that Italians who eat in restaurants will be compelled to use ration cards.

Peace Talks Don't Interrupt War of Thai-Indo-China

SAIGON, French Indo-China, Jan. 28 (UP)—Hostilities between Thailand and French Indo-China blazed away almost without interruption today despite preparations for peace talks under Japanese sponsorship tomorrow.

Both Hanoi and Bangkok, Thailand, reported that firing did not cease at 10 A. M. as previously had been agreed.

Each side blamed the other for the continuance of hostilities.

The Japanese cruiser, Natori, arrived here, escorted by a destroyer and French-Thailand negotiations will be held aboard this vessel.

Off Cap Saint Jacques, a Japanese naval squadron was reported cruising and French opinion was most gloomy. Frenchmen said they believed that the Japanese activity was a forerunner of Japanese expansion in southern Indochina.

Mrs. Strubing Invited Intimacy, Spell Tells Jury In 'Rape' Case; Denies That He Attacked Her

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Spell:

"Did Mrs. Strubing at any time put up a struggle against you?"

"She had no reason to," Spell replied.

O. Did she make any outcry?

A. No, sir.

Later today Mrs. Spell, the accused man's wife who lived with him at the Strubing home, testified that she was sleeping in the room directly above the bedroom where Mrs. Strubing charged she was "attacked" and that she heard no outcry of any kind.

She was sure, she said, that she would have heard an outcry if any had been made for two reasons: First, because she was unwell and was sleeping lightly; secondly, because she was awakened at one time when Mrs. Strubing's dog barked, which she offered as additional proof that she was not sleeping soundly and would have heard any unusual noises in the house.

Mrs. Spell's testimony was striking because of her clear, strong voice and the simple clarity of her answers.

State's Attorney Willis bombarded her with questions designed to make her admit that she had taken some sort of sleeping potion the night before, and others intended to intimate that she was merely shielding the man she has loved since they were childhood sweethearts in LaFayette, La., 25 years ago. Never once did she waver from her story.

DROP 'CONFESSTION'

Perhaps the most startling development of the day came when the prosecution rested its case without producing what was once referred to as "confession" which had been won from Spell after 15 hours of grilling by Greenwich police and FBI men.

He said that he tried to argue with her and to persuade her to come back to the car, but that he did not go toward her because he said that she was not reasonable and that he was afraid "she might hurt

prosecutor any statement," Spell herself.

He said that he then drove to a place in White Plains called Todd Place where he saw some friends.

This was an interesting assertion because during its turn in the case the prosecution had not given the slightest indication that Spell had gone anywhere after the reservoir, which was represented by Mrs. Strubing as having occurred at least three hours after Spell's account fixed the time.

CAN'T SHAKE SPELL'S STORY

But when Spell mentioned Todd's place it then became apparent that the prosecution did know that Spell had spent some time there and had in fact an affidavit from someone there which told of several hands of "blackjack" that Spell played while there. Prosecutor Willis kept referring to this paper while cross questioning Spell.

The cross questioning was marked by heavy-handed insinuations from Prosecutor Willis.

"Did you not think, in fact," he asked Spell, "that Mrs. Strubing's body was floating in Kenisco Lake?"

"I did not," Spell answered firmly.

"When I left her there she was standing in the edge of the water."

"At no time was Willis able to shake Spell on an important point.

Other witnesses today, in addition to Spell and Mrs. Spell, were incidental. They included the nurse who had cared for Mrs. Strubing and who is still retained by the Strubing family, three policemen from Greenwich and one from Stamford who said he came upon a car parked that night which might have been Spell's. He was unable even to positively identify Spell.

The defense was expected to conclude its case tomorrow with arguments to the jury to occupy Thursday's day's session.

YOUTH TO FIGHT WAR BILL IN WASHINGTON

Meet in Capital Feb. 7-9

Town Meeting Gets Wide Support from Unions and Progressives

(Special to the Daily Worker)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—More than 3,000 youths from every part of the country will tackle their individual Congressmen and Senators in the fight to stop the war-dictatorship bill HR. 1776 when they converge upon the capital for the Town Meeting of Youth during the weekend of Feb. 7, according to advance reports to the local bureau of the American Youth Congress made public today.

Joseph Cadden, executive secretary of the Congress, declared that the Town Meeting "will be a gigantic expression of youth's determination to stop the war drive dead in its tracks and stem the attacks on democracy."

300 FROM CHICAGO

Advance reports show that 300 delegates from Chicago have already paid their bus fares; 300 young people from every variety of organization in Massachusetts have already written for appointments with their Congressmen; two carloads from Oklahoma City and Norman will make the trip; from Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle and Denver, delegates are already on their way.

Student delegations will be on hand from every major campus in the East, and from scores of universities and colleges in the middle and far west.

"The resolution passed at the last CIO convention calling for cooperation between the youth and labor movements has borne fruit," Cadden said, "as can be seen in the large delegations coming from the industrial centers where the trade union movement is strong. Detroit, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Youngstown, and Akron will send busloads of young people from auto, steel and rubber."

SOUTH REPRESENTED

The South will be fully represented. Both Miami and New Orleans have announced that carloads of delegates will be on hand. A shocropper's camp in Missouri is sending a carload. Virginia and North Carolina are sending large delegations.

Adult organizations here are cooperating with the Youth Congress in arranging for housing and in other preparations. The CIO Industrial Union Council and the Negro Ministerial Alliance are among the many bodies giving full assistance.

WILMINGTON CIO

(Special to the Daily Worker) WILMINGTON, Del., Jan. 28.—Delegates representing most of the industrial unions of this city have been elected by the Industrial Union Council of the CIO to attend the Town Meeting of Youth in Washington, D. C., on Feb. 7 and 9. It was announced today.

Delegates include both Negro and white workers.

PHILADELPHIA CIO

(Special to the Daily Worker) PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 28.—This city will be represented at the Town Meeting of Youth in Washington over the Feb. 7 weekend by more than 400 delegates representing every variety of youth organization, it was announced today by the Philadelphia Youth Council.

Emphasizing the solidarity of the labor movement with the peace aims of the youth gathering, the Philadelphia CIO Industrial Union Council at its latest meeting elected a full delegation to Washington.

Both the youth section of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and the local chapter of the National Negro Congress have elected delegates.

Special buses have already been chartered by such groups as the American Student Union and the Youth Arts Forum, a citywide organization of art students. Student sentiment is expressed in a recent editorial in the Daily Pennsylvania, student paper, which stated: "We owe neither side anything; why should we sacrifice our men by fighting other people's wars? Let's keep the American youth over here and the chaos over there."

NEWARK DELEGATES

(Special to the Daily Worker) NEWARK, Jan. 28.—In a special meeting, the executive committee of the New Jersey Youth Assembly this week drafted a petition to Jersey Congressmen calling upon them to defeat the Lease-Lend bill. The petition will be presented to the Congressmen by New Jersey delegates to the Town Meeting of Youth in Washington over the Feb. 7 weekend.

The petition declares that "the last step in the last mile to the execution chamber of war will be taken if the Lease-Lend bill becomes law."

Brooklyn Anti-War APM Rally to Hear Quill, Curran Speak

Organizations, Unions Throughout Nation Push Fight to Halt Passage of FDR War Dictator Measure

(Special to the Daily Worker)

A four-page leaflet calling for defeat of the Lend-Lease bill as a step to war is being distributed in 50,000 copies throughout Brooklyn by the American Peace Mobilization which is sponsoring a mass rally in defense of trade union rights and peace at the Brooklyn Academy of Music on Thurs., Feb. 6 at 8:30 P. M.

The meeting is backed by more than 200 trade unions and civic organizations.

Speakers will include Joseph Curran, president of the National Maritime Union; Michael Quill, president of the Transport Workers Union; and Bella V. Dodd of the Teachers Union.

ST. PAUL CONFERENCE AGAINST 'LEND-LEASE'

(Special to the Daily Worker)

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 28.—Defeat the Lend-Lease bill will be the major slogan of this state's first People's Peace Conference which will be held here Sat., Feb. 1 with the backing of a score of outstanding leaders of labor and other organizations.

The conference will be held the day following the conclusion of the state Farmer-Labor Association convention, and will be attended by many delegates to that body. All county Farmer-Labor conventions have already gone on record in opposition to the Lease-Lend bill.

'GET OUT OF WAR' SAYS FURNITURE LOCAL

(Special to the Daily Worker)

"Get out and stay out of war" is the message sent this week to Congressional leaders by the Curtain, Drapery and Venetian Blind Union, Local 45-B of the United Furniture Workers Union, CIO.

A telegram sent to President Roosevelt and to Chairman Sol Bloom of the House Foreign Affairs Committee said: "In the name of 1,000 members, local 45-B opposes the Lend-Lease bill giving dictatorial powers to President Roosevelt and which would involve the United States in war and destroy American democracy."

BROOKLYN AUDIENCE FLAYS FDR MEASURE

(Special to the Daily Worker)

A large audience at the first of a series of Town Hall meetings in Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, this week unanimously adopted a resolution addressed to Congressman Cullen demanding that he vote "No" on the Lease-Lend bill.

The following wire was sent to Congressional leaders:

"We have unanimously voted condemnation and opposition to war dictatorship bill HR. 1776. We strongly urge its defeat."

FLINT CIO CALLS ON CONGRESS TO HALT BILL

(Special to the Daily Worker)

FLINT, Mich., Jan. 28.—Registering strong opposition to the Lease-



You eat your spinach and like it? If not—please don't be insulted—you probably either don't know how to buy it or don't know how to cook it. Because fresh, clean spinach, properly cooked, has a delectable taste and texture, as well as an appetizing, bright green color. On the other hand, there's nothing worse to put on the table—or in the mouth—than spinach that is bitter or sandy or overcooked.

When you buy spinach, then, look out for three things:

First, not too many stalks—they are not so good in flavor as the leaves, and they take too long to cook. Anyhow, they don't look pretty when cooked, and that's a more important consideration than many of us realize.

Second, not too much sand. It isn't pleasant to chew, and wash as you will, you're never sure of getting rid of it all if the spinach is very sandy to start with.

Third, the spinach must be fresh, and bright green. Not only is it a nuisance to have to strip off all the yellow and withered leaves, it's a waste of the money you pay for them. Besides, both health values and flavor are impaired in old, spinach.

And now, when it comes to pre-



The Inverness coat is the latest fashion to be cribbed from the men. This coat of multi-colored plaid imported woolen, has the cape effect cleverly cut into the sleeves. The postillon hat is felt banded with plaid woolen.



Local 65 Inducts: Here are views as Local 65 inducted its new-elected officers at a membership meeting at Manhattan Center Monday night. Top photo shows tableau in support of the Youth Town Hall meeting in Washington on Feb. 7 to 9. Lower picture shows

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Local 65 Installation Of Officers Impressive

CIO Warehouse Union Stages Impressive Event During Swearing in of New Officers; Union Fast Growing, Progressive

In most unions inauguration of officers is a formal event.

In Local 65, United Wholesale & Warehouse Employees it had special significance Monday night. That was the night when a cold, strong wind blew snow into your face, and after-work crowds were rushing home, to stay home.

But some 3,500 Local 65 members kept their date at Manhattan Center and they brought with them that dynamic jollity and vigor that vibrates through their militant union.

There was no important contest of any sort in the election of 13 officers and 68 executive members—in fact, all officers ran unopposed, and received a virtually unanimous vote of "yes" ballots. There was no victory for or over any groups of tickets, because Local 65 is as united as any union ever was.

CAUSE FOR CELEBRATION

The occasion was a celebration and a demonstration. A celebration of the fact that 1940 nearly doubled the union's membership to 8,400; that hundreds of thousands of dollars were added to pay envelopes of the members; that several hundred new contracts were signed; that thousands of days of paid vacation time and sick leave allowances were added, and that great progress generally was made to scour the leaves in the bottom of the pan. Don't use soda—it destroys the vitamins. And don't overcook—eight minutes is long enough for any spinach. If there's any juice in the bottom of the pot, don't throw it way—serve it up with the meal.

Follow these directions carefully, and you'll have a succulent, bright green vegetables, appetizing, and with all the natural vitamins and minerals in it, to make your family healthy.

That brought them progress, and over and over the youthful audience responded with ovations.

"Our program for full time training of scores of active rank and files is an important part of the real national defense program," said Osman. "It prepares us for defense of Local 65 as an important regiment of the people's armies of defense. It trains us to defend our unity, the strength of democratic organizations. It trains scores of new leaders to be able to organize to unite the ever widening circles of enlightened, courageous workers and to guide them in the fight to maintain their right to shape their own destiny—to fight for their own brand of justice—to guarantee that the things they produce will not cause death and misery but will bring joy and plenty for all who work."

The union is now spending large sums of money and energy to train reserves to take the places of those who are drafted.

Osman's statement in behalf of those elected, was a pledge to maintain the local's militancy and progressive policies and to steer it through the dangerous days of war-hysteria and union-smashing ahead of it.

The speeches of all the guest speakers carried the same appeal. Addresses were made by John Santo, secretary-treasurer of the Transport Workers Union; Julius Empack, secretary-treasurer of the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers; Lewis Merrill, president of the United Office and Professional Workers, and Saul Mills, secretary-treasurer of Greater New York Industrial Union Council, who installed the officers.

Over and over they heard the appeal to continue on the path

Open Court Action To Prevent Ouster Of State Senator

Washington State Progressives Aroused at Attempt to Unseat Senator on Charges He Had Been Member of Communist Party

By Ellen McGrath
(Special to the Daily Worker)

SEATTLE, Jan. 28.—Court action to prevent county commissioners from appointing a successor to Senator Lenus Westman will be filed in Snohomish county, it was announced at a mass meeting of the Washington Old Age Pension Union in Moose Hall here.

Formation of the Westman Constitutional Defense Committee came on the heels of the precedent-shattering action of the State Senate Friday in voting to bar Sen. Westman after he admitted former membership in the Communist Party.

State Senator N. P. Atkinson, president of the pension union, disclosed the purpose of the committee was not only to seat Westman at the legislature but to organize to protect constitutional rights of all.

Charges that powerful machine rule in the Washington State legislature had "gulled" the Democratic caucus into submission was leveled by State Senator N. F. Atkinson in denouncing the move to bar Sen. Westman.

The public was barred from the hearings as there was not one scintilla of evidence, either direct or circumstantial, by which Westman could legally have been unseated.

"In Free America this happened," Atkinson said. "In the progressive State of Washington it happened. If Sen. Westman is barred from his seat after his election by an overwhelming majority, it means an end to Constitutional rights of all."

Senator Westman addressed the assemblage and gave a first-hand account of the star chamber session.

"The inquisitors were there to weave a snare of words in order to bring about a lynching in the Senate."

Westman charged that former Senator Keiron Reardon had met in caucus with the reactionary Drumheller-Maxwell machine in the Senate prior to the open attack on the duly-elected senator.

OPPONENT WAS REPUDIATED

It was freely predicted at the state legislature during the attack on Westman that Reardon repudiated by the voters in his district in a race for Congress—would be thrust out of the post in an unpre-

Penna. Union Parley to Defend Labor Legislation

Alarmed at Anti-Union Attacks of Employers Under Cover of 'National Emergency,' Parley Has Powerful Backing

(Special to the Daily Worker)

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 28.—Declaring that "under cover of the 'national emergency,' the reactionaries are riding rough shod over the progressive legislative gains made by the people," a group of CIO unions and several individual trade unionists have called a labor-legislative conference to be held at Tarentum, Pa. near here.

The conference to be held on Feb. 9, and to which all labor unions, fraternal and progressive organizations in the area are being invited to send delegates, will consider steps to preserve gains already made by labor and measures to defeat reactionary legislation proposed in both the State and Federal legislative bodies.

SPONSORS

The call to the conference is signed by Ted Settemeyer, chairman of the Allegheny-Kiski Valley Legislative Conference. Settemeyer, president of the Flatglass Workers local at Arnold, Pa., is also a member of the Arnold City Council. Sponsoring the conference comes from two CIO industrial union councils, three local unions, Local 601, UERMWA, Local 101, UWOC, and Local 1237, SWOC. In addition the following individuals have given their names as sponsors: Frederick Holmes,

President, Local 54 SCMW9; Julius Boros, President Metal Machine Lodge, SWOC; George H. Moses, Inland Boatmen's Union and Daniel Driessen, American Communications Assn.

The conference call said in part: "In Harrisburg and Washington, the State Legislature and Federal Congress are now in session. Under cover of 'National Emergency,' the reactionaries are riding rough shod over the progressive legislative gains made by the people. The Wagner Act, the Wage and Hour Law, W.P.A., the right to organize and strike and civil liberties are in danger of destruction."

President Philip Murray of the CIO has already issued a call to all labor to be vigilant against state "model" bills drafted and backed by reactionary employers interests.

Labor wants social and labor legislation preserved and extended. Labor wants the passage of the Neely-Keller Mine Safety Bill, the Anti-Poll Tax bill and others."

Ship Carrying Influenza Vaccine to England Sunk

CHICAGO, Jan. 28 (UPI)—The sinking of a ship which was carrying 500,000 doses of a new influenza vaccine to Great Britain for a major test of the medicine's preventative powers was reported today in an editorial in the magazine Hygeia.

Pointing out that the medical profession still knows comparatively little about the cause of influenza, the editorial said the 1940-41 epidemic appeared to have spread eastward from Hawaii and the Pacific coast of the United States.

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Labor Has Fought Through Such Obstacles Before

Labor, particularly in New York, had better make up its mind to face squarely the question placed before it by the ruling against the Teachers Union. For the Court of Appeals decision that the teachers should give up their membership list to the anti-labor Rapp-Coudert Committee is a legalization of the blacklist against all unions.

Are the workers going to wait until each individual union must fight this issue alone, as the Teachers Union was pretty much forced to do? Are they going to adopt the attitude that since the courts have made the ruling, it must be accepted as a precedent and their unions torn to shreds?

Labor can treat this reactionary decision as it did others in the past. Once it was plagued with court injunctions against picketing; but it did not give up until this precedent was cast into the ash-heap of history. Company unions were at one time the vogue, but the struggles of the workers outlawed company unionism, and led to the enactment of the National Labor Relations Act to guarantee the right of collective bargaining. Labor has been throttled at various times with legislation against strikes. But the workers did not abandon their militant struggles because the employers and the courts said "No."

Like all other reactionary obstacles, this attack must be dealt with by the Teachers Union and by the workers generally on the basis of the experience of the labor movement. The teachers were forced to submit, because they had little active support from other trade unions, but this doesn't mean that the entire labor movement has to accept this court order as a precedent for the future.

If the trade unions—both CIO and A.F. of L.—recognize that their ox is being gored by this blow against the teachers, they won't wait until they have to face this anti-labor onslaught one by one. But by the strength and unity they give to the teachers union, resisting every attempt to persecute individual teachers, they will be safeguarding themselves against the blacklist destruction of their own organizations. They will find labor solidarity far stronger than in the unfortunate case of the teachers and will be taking a long step toward ending this menace to the very existence of the labor movement.

A Book In the Great Tradition

Judging by the popularity of the Dean of Canterbury's book, Soviet Power, it bids fair to become a historic best-seller of a special kind.

Our history has been marked at crucial periods by the appearance of certain books which have broken through the polite barriers of "respectable literature," and have themselves made history. One recalls the impact of Tom Paine's "Common Sense," and later the prairie-fire influence of Uncle Tom's Cabin. Neither the sneers of the conservative critics, nor the boycotts of the press and publishers could dampen the effect of these progressive documents.

The sincerity, warmth, and power of the Dean of Canterbury's book on the Soviet Union is on the way to capturing the imagination of the people in the same fashion. It can affect events if millions read it.

Millions indeed are eager to know the things the Dean describes with such humaneness. This book carries a truth about the land of Socialism which the hostility of the press and the sabotage of the reviewers will not be able to smother. It moves in the Great Tradition.

Roosevelt's Men Get Busy

Not content with handing out huge contracts to labor law violators like Henry Ford, the War Department is now seeking to enrich the employers through direct attacks on the standards of the workers.

The Generals have picked out some of the most underpaid workers in the country, in the canneries, for their drive. They are demanding that the time-and-a-half overtime provision in the Walsh-Healey Act be waived in the canning industry "in season."

The Admirals of the Navy Department have long been trying to wipe out the Walsh-Healey Act altogether, and now the Generals are joining in the offensive. These departments, of course, are directly responsible to the President. When they go gunning after labor standards, they are acting for the White House.

Meanwhile, the leaders of Mr. Roosevelt's party are busy in the House laying the groundwork for legislation to outlaw strikes through an "investigation" of the labor situation in "defense" industries. The "investigation" is being planned by the House Ju-

diciary Committee, headed by Chairman Sumners who killed the anti-poll tax bill. It is obvious that from such an "investigation" would come legislation against the right to strike.

Not only is there the danger that the Administration will actually push this legislation to passage, but the White House, assisted by Sidney Hillman and William Green, is using the threat of such legislation as a bludgeon to stampede labor into relinquishing the right to strike "voluntarily."

All attempts of the War and Navy Departments to undermine the Walsh-Healey Act, and all moves to curb labor's right to strike whether through legislation or "voluntary agreement," should be vigorously combated.

The House of Morgan Blesses Roosevelt's Plan

Lord Halifax can't answer the question about Britain's war aims. And the House of Morgan, through Mr. Thomas Lamont, jumps in to help pass the War-Powers Bill. These two add up to the same thing—it merely means that the House of Morgan is thoroughly satisfied with the British war aims which Lord Halifax keeps secret from the English and American people alike.

This completes the picture. Last week, the Rockefellers gave their blessings to the Roosevelt war-powers bill; this week, the Morgans join the procession.

The "lease-lend" war powers Bill thus has the blessings of the worst reactionaries in the United States. It has the blessings of the financial monopolists whose entire career has been one of contempt for democracy and Labor.

Thus from the tiny acorn of just aid-to-Britain "short of war," there has rapidly developed the giant oak of a full-grown war program backed by the Rockefellers and Morgans. This is something for the people to think about. The aid-to-Britain hoax reveals itself as exactly what the Communists warned it was—a fully-hatched scheme for war.

All this debunks the war propaganda from top to bottom. The German bankers are trying to grab what the London-Wall Street bankers either have grabbed already or intend to grab later on. The American people died once before for the House of Morgan in 1917. They certainly don't want to repeat that criminal folly all over again.

Almazan Lets the Cat Out

When Communists warned that the fascist Almazan was a tool of American imperialism against Mexico's democracy, the capitalist press tried to whitewash him with the claim that he was the "choice of the people."

Now Almazan admits the charge himself in a Unified Press story last Saturday to the effect that the Roosevelt Administration "doublecrossed" him. In his rage, he makes the damning admission that the reactionary George Creel had been a go-between for him and Wall Street, and that Elliot Roosevelt, the President's son, held a secret conference with him in Fort Worth, Texas, on Sept. 25, of last year. This was during the time when the Dies Committee was conspiring against the sovereignty of Mexico, behind a smokescreen of red-baiting attacks on the labor and progressive movement in that country.

Through Almazan, American imperialism intended to destroy Mexico's independence—either by electing Almazan (which it failed to do), or through reactionary pressure on the Camacho government. If it "doublecrossed" Almazan, it is because it now regards the Camacho government better suited to its sinister purpose. But just like Almazan, any group of rulers that becomes subordinate to American imperialism betrays the independence of its people.

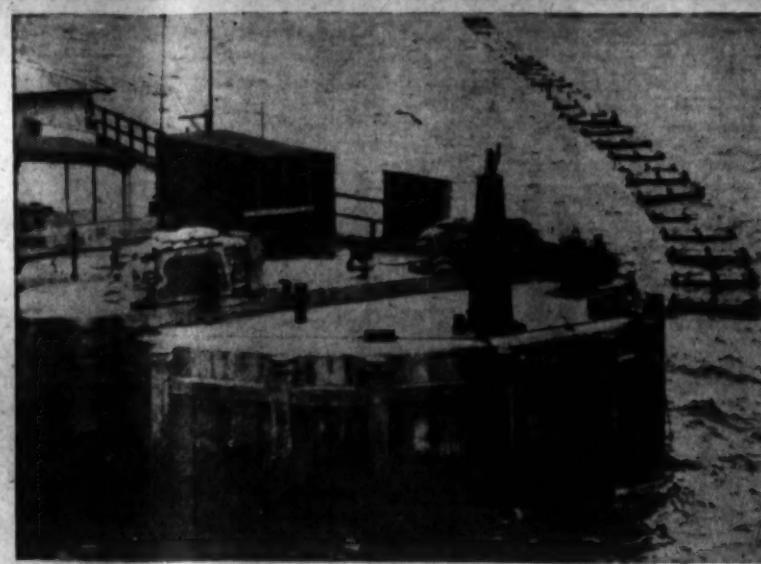
PM Conducts Its Own Lynch Trial

PM—that marvellous "friend" of the underprivileged—published a story yesterday which is an invitation to a lynch verdict against Joseph Spell.

Although the trial of the Negro defendant is not yet over, PM has gone out of its way to proclaim it "a fair one." It does so in the face of the fact that Negroes were excluded from the jury on a rank subterfuge, that PM along with the Daily News and other capitalist newspapers had already tried and found him "guilty," and that, as a result, the trial takes place in the midst of a distinctly prejudiced atmosphere.

The insidious campaign which PM is now carrying on against Negroes in connection with the Spell case, shows that its recent series on the Negro domestic workers was only a deceitful pose. For the employers invariably use such anti-Negro stories as a pretext for denying Negroes jobs, for intimidating Negro communities, and for dividing Negro and white workers.

From their experiences in the Scottsboro case, progressive Americans cannot consider a trial fair where Negroes have been excluded from the jury in violation of the Constitution. As they see the familiar threads of hysteria and discrimination being woven around this case, the people will insist, more than ever, upon a vigorous, uncompromising defense which will protect every citizenship right of the accused and of the Negro people.



WAR SPREADS IN AFRICA: Top photo shows harbor entrance to Cape Town, South Africa where a boom has been stretched across the entrance as a guard against enemy submarines. Sandbags conceal machinegun emplacements. Other photo shows wreckage of homes in Alexandria, Egypt, which were demolished during a series of five bombing attacks which killed forty persons and wounded seventy others.



LUIZ CARLOS PRESTES
from Jan. 21, 1940, and particularly the celebration of Prestes' birthday, registered successes.

What is important and indispensable now, is not to rest but to continue the campaign on a higher level. It is probable that during the course of this month the tyrant will go to the United States. Unquestionably, the North American people will give him the reception he deserves.

MARCH 3 IS ANNIVERSARY

March 3 is the anniversary of Prestes' imprisonment. This date should be the occasion for a popular mobilization of the entire Continent. The case of Prestes, like that of Sacco and Vanzetti and the Reichstag Fire must be the solid base of a popular movement reaching the furthest corners of the Americas.

Workers and peasants, poets and writers, lawyers and men of science, youth, women and children, all those who love their country and their people, men from all the progressive groups, will rally around the great fighter and build a defense which nobody can break.

In the United States, in Cuba, Chile, Mexico, Argentina, Uruguay, Colombia and Peru, committees for Prestes are already at work.

A front of continental solidarity is being developed around Luis Carlos Prestes and his fellow prisoners. The movement in his behalf is a factor of tremendous importance for the unity of all the peoples in their struggle against imperialism and for peace. At the same time, the fight for the liberty of Prestes represents in every one of our countries the struggle against persecution, defense of our victims and mobilization against the attacks upon our civil liberties.

Wall Street, today the strongest support of the Nazi regime of Getúlio Vargas, is very much interested in halting the movement because it is popular and of an anti-imperialist, anti-fascist and anti-reactionary character. The threats, the slanders of the mercenary press, and the scandalous Nazi requests of the Vargas ambassadors convince us every day more of the necessity of intensifying the struggle for the freedom of our comrade Luis Carlos Prestes.

Nothing and nobody shall stop us in this struggle for the liberty of the Knight of Hope, who, from his prison where he is held incommunicado and subjected to the most infamous treatment, makes the tyrant tremble with fear.

DEPERATE.

Letters from Our Readers

Wall Street's Dividends—Chief Concern of F.D.R.

Editor, Daily Worker:

An unemployed mill-hand neighbor of mine lost his little boy this week. He didn't die from any fancy named disease, but from plain lack of proper food and medicine, which down here we call starvation.

We buried him today in a shabby little cemetery of the poor some distance out from town. As we passed by a country store, I heard a radio going and recognized the wolf-in-sheep's-clothing voice of that Big Man in Washington, who is pulling and pushing so hard to take us into the "holy" war to defend King George's loot.

It would be well, Mr. President, if you thought about the welfare of the people for awhile, instead of the dividends of the royal George, of your kinfolks, the duPonts, the Morgans and the rest of the Wall Street gang.

Ruth McKenney Requests Comeback For Marmaduke

Westport, Conn.

Editor, Daily Worker:

I hope you won't mind my saying so, but I deplore Little Lefty and Marmaduke lost in the current cartoon-news. Little Lefty and Marmaduke and their friend, Peanuts, were three of the greatest comic characters ever invented in America. Their wonderful adventures had wit and excitement, the galaxy of villains they met and conquered were enormously satisfactory. Consider, for instance, that great moment when Marmaduke, paid to take a dive, gets knocked to the teeth and the workers in the bleachers go mad with cheers.

"Boys," replies Marmaduke, "I didn't know it was this way." And then, you remember, he goes back to the ring and knocks out the villain with his tall while the silk-hatted gangsters in the front row gnash their teeth and the workers in the bleachers go mad with cheers.

And I'm sure that beautiful moment when Marmaduke meets the President of the College, Professor somebody or other, who loves the English ruling classes almost as much as himself, is one of the greatest incidents in American comic literature. The look of dis-

gust on Marmaduke's face! Those disdainful, twitching whiskers!

I would like to pass myself off as a nine-year-old child and beg the Daily Worker to restore dear Marmaduke to his formerly wonderous life. But since I've taken to counting silver hairs among the gold, I'll have to just break down and confess that I used to read the adventures of Marmaduke with terrific excitement. And I'm not alone, I know. I remember the press conference at the June convention, when delegates from all over the country argued about whether Marmaduke should leave England or not. They decided he should and it was shortly after that Marmaduke, pursued by an English battleship, drew up under a pier in Coney Island, without a passport. Little Lefty, you will remember, smuggled him in as a hula-hula dancer.

Cartoons are all very well, but there are lots of cartoons and only one Marmaduke.

So I feel sure I express the unanimous opinion of your readers when I beg you to restore the unique, the imitable, the dashing and gallant Marmaduke, the only sea-serpent in history, who roots consistently for the Communist Party.

And incidentally, we'd like to see Marmaduke up against the Westport Conn. Committee to Aid Britain. I'm sure he could give them the shock of their lives.

RUTH MCKENNEY.

Unemployed, Near Starvation—Blasts Huge Expenditures for War Materials

New York, N. Y.

Editor, Daily Worker:

I am not a Communist and, to be frank, have not even been a sympathizer. But if my ideas are changing it is as a result of bitter experience.

I am sending the following letter to the Daily News and other papers who will probably file it in the waste basket:

"While all newspapers are whooping it up to send millions of dollars to Europe thousands of us here are starving.

"I can speak only for myself, but my case can be duplicated many times over. I am stone deaf as a result of spinal meningitis. I'd take any kind of work and simply can't get it. As a last desperate means of trying to earn a living, I tried peddling but got arrested so much I had to quit. When I asked

the arresting officers what I could do they sneeringly told me to steal. As I write this letter I have 15 cents in my pocket and no means of getting more.

"For the past few days it has been known and the streets are blocked and hundreds of men like myself who signed up for emergency snow shoveling had expected to work, but when we reported for work we were told the sanitation department would do it alone. In former years this much snow would have assured us of 3 or 4 days' work. Obviously, the war-minded Mayor hopes to save this money and it will probably be used to buy more bullets so the more able-bodied among us can have an extra round of ammunition when we're sent to Europe to have our guts blown out.

"If there is a limit to what the human mind can stand I've hit it. I don't know which way to turn now, but with 15 cents in my pocket I am desperate enough for anything. In the meantime the newspapers will gleefully continue to whoop it up for war."

DEPERATE.

The Last Refuge Of a Tory

Brooklyn, N. Y.

Editor, Daily Worker:

Enclosed please find copy of a letter I sent to Congressman Louis Ludlow:

"I have studied your Alien Deportation Bill which you were kind enough to send me a few days ago. As a citizen of the world, and native-born American, I feel compelled to ask, 'since when have you, who calls himself an American, become imbued with that Fascist ideology which has destroyed freedom in Europe and which is the basis of your bill by which you are seeking to destroy civil liberties?'

"It seems evident that you so admire your prototype Hitler, that you wish to emulate him by adopting his atavistic theories. A human being is not an alien regardless of his geographic origin. Alien-baiting is the last refuge of a tory.

"Your bill is un-Constitutional, un-American, un-Christian and a vicious betrayal of every precept and principle of democracy. It promotes hatred of one human for another; and would necessitate the establishment of concentration camps in this country."

A CITIZEN OF THE WORLD.

CONSTANT READER

Memo to Book-of-the-Month Club:
How About a 'Daily News' Anthology?

By SENDER GARLIN

THIS letter came in the mail today: "A quick glance through the enclosed story from the Daily News of Jan. 16 will reveal its vicious, red-baiting character. I bring it to your attention in case you think it warrants comment in your column 'Constant Reader.' A thousand compliments to you and the entire staff for the perfect job you are doing. Salud."

What stirred this reader's indignation was the story, "Poetic Justice," which Capt. Patterson, publisher of the Daily News (one-time member of the N.E.C. of the Socialist Party), splashed over a full page of his paper.

This hybrid "literature" is typical of a whole school which has developed recently in the newspapers and pulp magazines. The villain is generally a "foreign agitator" or a union organizer (usually combined in one character). "Poetic Justice" is probably the all-low in this gutter school of synthetic fiction.

As indicated by the author of the composition, the cast of characters in "Poetic Justice" is KEN DAVEY, "a detective assigned to the capture of AMATO, a dangerous Red who has been deported but subsequently returns to resume his acts of sabotage and insults to the flag."

None of the art of a Flaubert or a Tolstoi is needed to scramble the kind of yarn the Daily News dished up to its 1,048,759 readers. Only two highballs, the imagination of a moron and the venom of a Diem or Coquett are required to create such a literary masterpiece for which the rates, incidentally, are far higher than for first-class fiction, verse or music.

With an originality that is startling the author, a hitherto unknown literary genius named Louis Davidson, opens his yard, thus: "Barton Clements, chief of the second division of the special committee unearthing subversive activities, thoughtfully tapped the deck with his pencil as he shook his head despairingly." As readers will notice this is a daring departure from the accepted formula which would go something like this: "Barton Clements, chief of the special division; etc., flicked the ashes from his cigarette and ejaculated, 'Damn!'"

Developing his character with the art of a master, the poet laureate of the Daily News writes: "Joe Amato, six feet two with a thatch of red hair as red as his own twisted beliefs would be a conspicuous object anywhere." (Oughtn't there be a comma after "beliefs"?)

The author plunges right into the story because he has only 2,000 words in which to get his man. Throwing atmosphere, character portrayal and suspense to the winds, he gives the readers the stuff at one gulp.

Amato had been Davey's meat ever since, a year before, he had come upon the wild-eyed agitator surrounded by a scared, muttering crowd, up in the Bronx, trampling the United States Flag. The police had rescued the Red from dismemberment by the mob whose patriotic principles he had offended. He speedily had been deported when it was discovered he was in the country on a forged passport, and his subversive activities had been uncovered by his arrest."

Parenthetically, the author informs Daily News readers that the villain is Moscow-born. (Alexander Hamilton was born in the West Indies and Sidney Hillman in Lithuania). But the fact is put in felicitous literary form: "He had delved into Amato's past life from the time he shattered the cold, biting Moscow air with his first yelpings."

Ken Davey always got his man, and before you could say Stettinius he had Amato deported. But he didn't stay deported. Through the enterprise of the Daily News fiction department Amato was back in the good old U. S. A. No one knew where he was, but "his work was recognized in the utterly uncalled-for strikes springing up overnight, in the wild riots breaking out without seeming cause and, particularly, in the poisonous attacks on the flag . . . Day after day the flag would be found mutilated, torn, covered with dirt, in various parts of the city." All this, of course, was the work of Amato, the Misan.

But Ken Davey, the idealistic and lion-hearted dick, was a match for the best of 'em. There was to be a parade along Fifth Avenue. Flags would be flying in the breeze, and like a moth drawn to flame, Amato would be there, sure thing. "Stirring martial music filled the air. Soldiers in khaki marched by, sailors in their trim uniforms, Boy Scouts, Camp Fire Girls, Red Cross nurses gave the Avenue a gala air." They were singing, too—"There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight" and "Over There." Every war had had its own song, the author comments philosophically.

Would you believe it—Amato the Menace had come to the parade just as Author Davidson figured it out for Davey the dick! But Davey could sense Amato's finger pressing the trigger. The brave detective had no desire to die a martyr's death, but he was "stymied." Just . . . then . . . (another split-second would be too late) . . . Mike Slavin and John Burke, plainclothesmen on the lookout for pickpockets" saw only two men with heads covered in all that throng: Ken Davey and Amato. Author Davidson advises that Mike was quick on the trigger and that "he'd done very well so far with his philosophy, 'Sock 'em first and explain later.'"

Dja guess? "Take off your hat, you dumb ox," and he flips it off Amato's head with a finger snap. (To aid the reader in conjuring up this dramatic scene the Daily News hired an artist to do a four-column illustration).

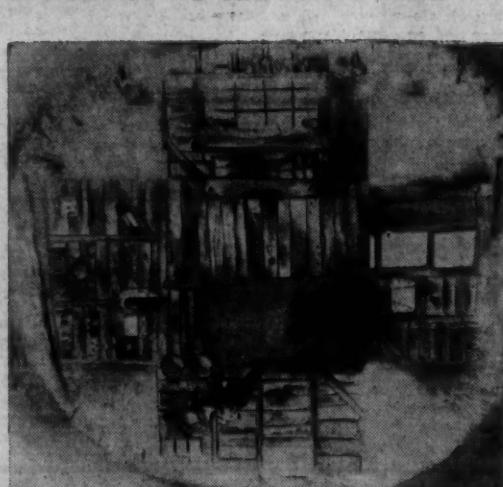
Well, that's where the suspense ends. Dashing into a convenient cigar store Detective Davey dropped a nickel in a phone booth, dialed "What price poetic justice, Chief?"—Amato nabbed at the Flag Day Parade."

No questions from the floor? No discussion? Then I propose that the Alliance Publishers whose "Out of the Night" by Jan Wahl has been received so kindly by the book reviewers get out an anthology of Daily News fiction, with that little literary gem, "Poetic Justice" as the title-piece.

With the Alliance's reputation as a publisher of melodramatic fiction established by "Out of the Night," it's a cinch the Book-of-the-Month Club would grab it up as its March selection!

I admit it's a swell idea. Such a Daily News anthology would undoubtedly get high praise from Dr. Henry Seidel Canby, John Chamberlain, Vincent Shean, Max Eastman, Freda Utley, Isaac Don Levine, J. Edgar Hoover, Dr. Goebels, Martin Dies and other distinguished literary critics.

HONORED BY MUSEUM OF MODERN ART



The first woman—and one of the very few American artists so far to be honored by the Museum of Modern Art with a traveling exhibition of her works—is Loren Maclver, at right. Among the pictures included in the exhibit is one called "The Shack" which is shown above. It is also part of the Museum's permanent collection.

HEALTH ADVICE

3,000 Children Will Become Ill Tomorrow

TOMORROW, or any other day, throughout the country perhaps 3,000 children will become slightly ill with a set of mild symptoms which might mean just a cold, but then again it might signify one of the most dreaded diseases of childhood, diphtheria. If the 3,000 mothers of these children say to themselves, "It's only a cold; I'll put some Fume-Greco on Johnny's chest and see if he won't get over it," what will happen? Probably 2,970 of the children will have just a cold and promptly recover. But the other thirty children will have diphtheria and become seriously ill.

If doctors are not called in to see them until the third day of illness three of these children will die. On the other hand, if the 3,000 mothers are wise and take their children to doctors who pick out the thirty with diphtheria and inject them with serum, not one child will die.

What are the symptoms that might mean a beginning diphtheria? Infants might have just fever and nothing else. Sometimes the only early symptom is a sore throat, or nothing but a difficulty in swallowing, or hoarseness with slight fever. Other cases first develop a bloody discharge from the nose that lasts all day, and others feel quite ill from the beginning with vomiting and fever. If your child should develop these symptoms 100 times, isn't it better to take him to the doctor each time in order that he should receive the life-saving serum the one time that he has diphtheria?

Better still is to have your baby at an early age given a series of injections which will protect him entirely from the disease, and then you won't have to worry.

It has been frequently advised in this column to see your doctor or take your child to your doctor early.

The writer is fully aware of the fact that many readers cannot afford private doctors. And, in most places, everyone knows that one must be practically dying before he can get any free medical care, to say nothing of trying to get medical attention for what appears to be a cold.

However, something practical can be done. Your organization, unemployed or union, can set up a special committee to see that any member whose family needs medical care obtains it through the usual city or county channels. If the authorities start to give the committee the run-around, it is well worth while to fight out two or three cases, for much support can be aroused, and after that there is no doubt that the organization's request will be promptly taken care of in the future.

Registration at Writers School Continues Thru Week

Registration at the Writers' School of the League of American Writers will continue throughout the coming week. Director Lillian Barnard Gilkes announced yesterday.

During the present term, the school offers courses in the short story, novel, article, radio writing, journalism, children's stories, writing for pulp and smooth paper magazines, etc.

Among the lecturers and instructors are Philip Van Doren Stern, William Blake, Norman Cowlin, Ruth Mc Kennedy, Edwin Seaver, Leane Zughzman, and many other well-known writers.

All persons interested are urged to communicate with Nan Golden at the Writers' School, 381 4th Ave.

Cornelia Otis Skinner Signed for New Play

Cornelia Otis Skinner, who has been seen in recent years chiefly in her solo stage portrayals, has been signed by John Golden to make her first starring appearance in a regular Broadway play production, "Theatre," a new play by Somerset Maugham and Guy Bolton.

FROM A MASTER'S ALBUM



Theatre School Fights Ivory Tower Drama

To take theatre out of the ivory tower category is the aim of the New Theatre School, the only progressive dramatic training center in the East, which opens its Spring Term on February 8. Hundreds of trade unionists and other working people have already taken courses at the School, which not only features training at such minimum fees that it is available to all but integrates its curriculum to meet the ever expanding needs and problems of the communities engaged in organizing and extending the defenses of their rights to security, democracy, and peace.

The faculty of the New Theatre School includes some of the leading progressive theatre workers of New York. Len Ward, whose Federal Theatre production, "... one-third of a nation," set a new high for living newspaper plays, heads the faculty as director of the school. Brett Warren, director of the living newspaper "Power" and of the ILGWU pageant "I Hear America Singing"; Clara Nevin and Rebecca Rowen, members of the Anna Sokolow dance group; Evelyn Casey, former dictation teacher for the Group Theatre and instructor in speech at Hunter College; Mary Tarac, former director at the Women's Trade Union League, and Alice Evans, former director and teacher of dramatics at Commonwealth College; these people make up the faculty of the New Theatre School. Will Geer, Benno Schneider, and Moe Black are three special instructors of the School for this term.

Special workshop courses, held one evening a week for fifteen weeks, in Public Speaking, Foreign Accent Correction, skin writing, popular directing, popular acting, special voice and body training, are the features of the New Theatre School's new spring term. The regular theatre training, scheduled for four nights a week, includes acting, directing, make-up, voice and body work, the history of the theatre in relation to society, with practical application of techniques learned to field assignments forming an active part of the course. Registration for the Spring Term continues until Feb. 3. All information and catalogs may be obtained from New Theatre School, 110 W. 47th St., N. Y. C. Phone CH. 4-8198.

Browder Discusses Education and War In New Communist

The February issue of "The Communist" will contain a number of exceptionally important articles, including an analytical study of "Education and the War," by Earl Browder.

The character of the Congress which is now in session, and the issues facing it, are discussed in "The People Versus the TIAA Congress," by John Williamson. The editorials of the February issue include an appraisal of the "interventionists" and "appeasers" who are united in the effort to drag the United States into the very heart of the imperialist war. An important aspect of Gil Green's article on war economy in last month's issue of "The Communist" is further developed in an article, "America's War Economy and the Unemployed," by G. D. Carpenter.

The reprint of one of Lenin's forceful polemical articles, "Imperialism and the Split in the Socialist Movement," bears profound lessons for those engaged in the struggle against the imperialist war today. The current flood of reactionary books and motion pictures which pretend to "reinterpret" American history receives attention in this issue in an article by Gordon Place, "Aortal Wiswell—A Tory Distortion of History." Herber English has contributed a study of "The Source of Mr. Willkie's Wisdom," and C. E. Wadsworth writes in this issue on "Economic Development and Business Cycles," a serious analytical examination of certain aspects of capitalist economy.

"The Communist" is further enriched by a book review by Charlotte Todes of "Labor in War-Time," by John Steuben, recently issued by International Publishers. For a deeper insight and understanding of the crucial events and events which are taking place in the world today, the February issue is "must" reading.

Film Notes

Murray Alper, James Flavin and William Haade have joined the cast of "Affectionately Yours," which Lloyd Bacon is directing for Warner Bros. Merle Oberon, Dennis Morgan, Rita Hayworth and Ralph Bellamy play leading roles in the production.

Shirley Ross, who has just completed her role opposite Dennis Morgan in "She Stayed Kissed," has been signed to a long term contract by Warner Bros. Her first picture under the new pact will be started some time in June. Miss Ross and her husband, Ken Dolan, are expecting an addition to the family in May.

Alan Curtis and Billy Gilbert have been added to the cast of "New Wine," the first production for United Artists release from the newly-formed Gloria Productions. Curtis will play the leading masculine role opposite Ilona Massey. Others already announced for the cast of "New Wine" are Binnie Barnes, Albert Basserman and Sterling Holloway.

Joan Perry and Arthur Kennedy have just gone before the cameras in the leading roles in "Strange Alibi," which D. Ross Lederman is directing at Warner Brothers' Burbank studio.

Carnegie to Exhibit 300 American Artists

By Oliver F. Mason

The 136th annual exhibition of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts opened in Philadelphia last week with the awarding of seven prizes. Perhaps the most unexpected award was the Temple Medal which was given to Max Weber. The Pennsylvania Academy thus bows in the direction of modern painting. Other winners were Daniel Serra, Franklin C. Watkins, John Stuart Curry, Sara Blakely and Albert B. Serwala. The sculpture award went to Dorothy Greenbaum.

The Carnegie Institute announces that it will present at the Founder's Day Exhibition, which for many years was the "International," a show of paintings entitled "Directions in American Art."

The interesting feature of this exhibition is that it will consist of 300 living American artists, all to be selected by a jury and that there will be no invited paintings. Only artists, citizens of the United States, who have never exhibited in a Carnegie International are eligible to enter canvases. This will give unknown artists an opportunity to compete for recognition on equal terms with all others.

A competitive exhibition of nature is bound to have a stimulating effect on young American artists. Much, of course, will depend on the jury of selection which has not been announced. If artists on the jury will be men of integrity and sympathetic to the creative impulses of American artists, this exhibition is likely to influence the direction American painting will take next year.

Harrington At ACA

Abraham Harrington is the new exhibitor at the A. C. A. Gallery. This is his first exhibition in three years and it shows a marked development in his work. In canvases like "Moonlight Haul," "Journey in the Wilderness," "Poor Ferdinand," "Pastoral," "Astoria Landscape" and "Saturday Night Square" Harrington reveals growth as an artist with a widening horizon. His paintings have strength which comes from determined direction. The canvases are overflowing with activity, mostly of people.

Mervin Jules' exhibition at the

same gallery has been extended to run concurrently with Harrington's through February 8. The reason for the extension was an unusually increased interest in this gifted artist's work.

Other openings of the week included paintings by Ernest Albert at the PEDAC Galleries, paintings by Frederico Cestari at Guy Mayer's, paintings by John Clarkson at the Artists' Gallery, paintings by Stefan Hirsch at the Associated American Artists' Gallery. Mr. Hirsch until recently was teaching art at Bennington College. He is known for a number of interesting murals he has painted.

Another interesting artist is having an exhibition of silk screen prints is Harry Gottlieb. His work is being shown at the Abraham Lincoln High School.

Lithographs at Harlow-Keppler

Etching and lithographs by masters of modern art are being shown at the Harlow-Keppler Gallery. Goya, Manet, Cezanne, Picasso and Matisse are among the artists represented.

Photography is art and the Photo League organization is a pioneer in this field. Its current show consists of camera studies of Tabernacle City. Photo League is located at 31 East 21st Street. Georgia O'Keeffe is showing her new paintings at An American Place.

Drawing and paintings by Ruskine are at Alma Reed's. Minnie Mikel is exhibiting water colors at Morton's. Abstract color prints by Charles Smith are at the Willard Gallery and water colors by Herbert Tchudy at the Fifteen Gallery.

The Kniff has opened its new headquarters with an interesting exhibition. Many outstanding artists are represented. The work is being shown at Second Avenue and 12th Street, over the theatre.

'Back Where I Come From' Over WABC at 10:30 PM

Back Where I Come From, over WABC at 10:30 P. M. . . Dan Glimmer speaks on the American Point of View over WHN at 7:45. . . Fred Allen over WABC at 9: . . . Chopin's Ballet Music for Les Sylphides heard on the Midday Symphony over WNYC at noon.

MORNING

7:30-WNYC—Sunrise Symphony, Delius' "Morning" Program
7:30-WQXR—Broadway Symphony
8:00-WEAF—News
WCR—Trans-Radio News
9:00-WABC—World News
WEAF—Gene and Glenn WZN—Ray Perkins
9:45-WABC—Archie
10:00-WABC—Women's Page of the Air
10:30-WABC—Archie's New York Today with Hal Halpern
WEAF—Sports
9:00-WQXR—Condensed News
WZN—Woman of Tomorrow
WCR—Breakfast Hour
WABC—News
WQXR—Composers Hour
9:15-WABC—American School of the Air
9:30-WABC—Music
10:30-WNYC—News
WABC—Back Where I Come From with Dan Glimmer at WABC
9:30-WCR—Chicago Land Concert
9:45-WZN—Quiz Program
10:00-WABC—Music of Mata
WABC—Glenn Miller Orchestra
WHR—Music of Sigmund Romberg
10:15-WCR—P. F. News
10:30-WNYC—Piano Quartet
10:45-WABC—News
WABC—On With the Dance
WEAF—Dancers at Work
11:45-WHN—Quiz Program
12:00-WABC—Music of Eddie Cantor and Diana Sorensen
WEAF—Fred Allen and Kenny Baker
WABC—On With the Dance
WEAF—Dancers at Work
12:45-WHN—Quiz Program
13:00-WABC—Music of Mata
WABC—Music of Sigmund Romberg
13:15-WCR—P. F. News
13:30-WNYC—News
WABC—Back Where I Come From with Dan Glimmer at WABC
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14:00-WABC—Music of Eddie Cantor and Diana Sorensen
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15:45-WZN—Quiz Program
16:00-WABC—Music of Eddie Cantor and Diana Sorensen
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WABC—On With the Dance
WEAF—Dancers at Work
16:45-WHN—Quiz Program
17:00-WABC—Music of Mata
WABC—Music of Sigmund Romberg
17:15-WCR—P. F. News
17:30-WNYC—News
WABC—Back Where I Come From with Dan Glimmer at WABC
17:45-WZN—Quiz Program
18:00-WABC—Music of Eddie Cantor and Diana Sorensen
WEAF—Fred Allen and Kenny Baker
WABC—On With the Dance
WEAF—Dancers at Work
18:45-WHN—Quiz Program
19:00-WABC—Music of Mata
WABC—Music of Sigmund Romberg
19:15-WCR—P. F. News
19:30-WNYC—News
WABC—Back Where I Come From with Dan Glimmer at WABC

On
The Score
Board

Touching on
Many
Subjects

By Lester Rodney

DEFENSE AND SPORTS DEPT: We're 3,000 miles away from the mess and in the name of "defense" sports life is being slowly but surely strangled to death as all recreational appropriations are cut out and the threat of the ending of all competition grows stronger by the day. On this page is an article about sports in the Soviet Union. There's a country that's right on the edge of the war and certainly has reason to concern itself with defense. Yet it is in the midst of a program to extend its sports life to more and more of its people. Its sports budget for the year is higher than ever before. How do you figure that out? Are Russians just more sports-loving than Americans by nature? Or could the answer be in the different conception of real democratic defense that a government of, for, and by the people has from that of a government of, for and by Wall Street? The government of the country 3,000 miles away from England means to take us into the middle of the war for the profit of the few, as it did in 1917, so it's busily engaged in crushing what normal, free life there is for the many as a prelude. That's the difference.

'Higher Ups' and Babe Ruth

CALLING TO ATTENTION DEPT: Reader Dave Clancy calls to our attention the column in the Daily News by Jimmy Powers suggesting a moving picture on the life of Babe Ruth, and comments aptly that such a picture would be a very empty gesture to baseball's immortal hero while the game he did so much for refuses to give him a chance.

Powers' column took up the subject of the strange treatment of Ruth, saying:

"Every season clubs seek managers, coaches and scouts, but the name of Babe Ruth is never mentioned. The few times Babe got minor connections something happened and Babe was pushed into the back room quietly, swiftly with no explanation to a wondering public. Why today some teams will sign Joe Dugan from Potisville before they'll even consider Babe Ruth! Are they afraid of antagonizing someone higher up? Is there an unwritten law blackballing Babe Ruth? Why?"

Reader Clancy suggests that the "higher ups" are the magnates (the same magnates who maintain the Jim Crow laws in our "national pastime") and also suggests that the reason may be the animosity they bear the big Babe for having boosted the salaries of the ordinary ball players all along the line by holding out so vigorously and successfully for his own big figures.

That's a pretty good thought, and I wonder how Hollywood would get around this strange blacklist in presenting the story of the big, warmhearted, popular American hero who came out of a Baltimore orphan asylum to turn the game of baseball inside out.

Those South American Birds

Ernie Moore calls to our attention an article in Colliers entitled "To South America with the Birds." The author went down to check on the complaints of American sportmen that a lot of the birds were being potted down there before migrating north. And he says:

"We in the United States usually speak of the wild birds we see as 'our birds' but this implied claim to exclusive ownership becomes weak when we face the fact that many of them spend more of the year in tropical countries than they do in our own fair land."

Now how about similar articles on "our" oil wells, and nitrate mines and rubber trees—which don't even fly north for a month? Not to mention "our" requests for putting guns all over South America, which so far have gotten a different kind of "bird" than that mentioned in the Colliers article.

Another reader calls our attention via clippings to the fact that the recent fight of the NYU students against the Jim Crowing of basketball player Coward broke into the columns of three other metropolitan dailies, those of Ed Hughes of the Eagle, Jimmy Powers of the News and Richard Vidmer of the Herald Tribune.

ANOTHER GOOD reason for the somewhat phenomenal success of Coach Clark Shaughnessy with the Rose Bowl winning Stanford football team this year came out yesterday when the mentor had a chat with sports writers.

"The kids enjoyed playing . . . I hate that term 'blocking back,'" he said. "Every boy wants a chance at doing something spectacular. We had plays where even the linemen took turns carrying the ball and it was great for the team morale."

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Debut of That Rhode Is. 5, Farewell to King at Garden

Unbelievable High Scoring Outfit Meets St. Francis in Opener—Great Negro Star Honored as LIU Plays Butler

A dual attraction of great dramatic promise ushers in the return of basketball to Madison Square Garden tonight. The fabulously high-scoring Rhode Island State team, unbeaten in nine games and averaging 81 points per game, makes its New York debut in meeting St. Francis of Brooklyn in the opener. LIU, pacesetter

among the locals with 11 wins in 12 games, meets the strong Butler of Indiana team in the nightcap in a game that marks the end of the collegiate career of Captain Bill King, great Negro center, who will be honored with the presentation of a trophy by LIU students.

Nobody knows for sure whether this Rhode Island team is one of those overbuilt publicity agents' dream or not. It's known that the caliber of basketball in the New England section is pretty ragged, but the visitors did knock over as good a team as St. Joseph's of Philadelphia 72-66 on the Rhode Island court. The Staters play a practically defenseless game with big Warren Keane feeding the ball the length of the court, like a bullet to a trio of fast running point tappers. Stautz Modzelewski is the high scorer of this weird aggregation, and they say he can really drop them in. He tallied 500 points in 22 games last year, a record for intercollegiate competition.

A delegation of 600 rooters from the town of Kingston, Rhode Island will add to the excitement and give the Garden that homey touch.

As St. Francis is a pretty high scoring bunch in its own right, and has about the weakest defenses of the metropolitan teams, all scoring records may go in a wild blaze of baskets. Should be a lot of fun anyhow, even if it isn't exactly slick basketball.

BUTLER GOOD TEAM

There'll be plenty of that latter in the second game. Butler is one of the perennially strong Midwestern outfits, and rates much better than the team that was just edged out by LIU 46-44 last year. But of course LIU is also improved. A close hard-fought game is looked for.

Starting along with King will be veterans Lobello, Schechman and Schwartz, and sophomore Saul Cohen, who has won the starting post from the bigger Hank Beenders on the strength of his fine shooting.

Before the game begins, Irving Marsh, president of the Metropolitan Basketball Writers Association (composed of scribes of all the local dailies) will present a bronze trophy to King on behalf of the students of LIU, who took up a collection. The trophy will have figures in basketball, football and baseball to symbolize Bill's four-year All-American caliber in those sports.

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SECOND GAME

No.—I.I.U. Position Butler U.—No. 28—Schellie L.P. Schneider—19

29—Cecil L.F. Schaeffer—17

30—King C. McCreary—23

31—Panitz H.G. Hamilton—22

32—Shechman R.G. Dietz—11

33—Borod H.O. Neal—23

L.I.U. Reserves — Zeilin (20), Schneider (21), Holub (22), Fucarini (29), Walter (27), Panitz (28), Borod (29), Kanz (32), Price (33), Chan (34), McGowan (35), Gorfain (36).

BUtler Reserves — Deputy (10), Petrie (12), Braden (15), Combs (16), Huneker (18), Clayton (20), Norris (25).

Officials — Pete Sinnott and Joe Burns.

U. S. Army Transport On Rocks, Use Lifeboats

SEATTLE, Jan. 28 (UPI)—The 1,200-ton army transport Kivichak piled up on the rocky shore half-way up the British Columbia coast today, and 23 passengers and most of the crew of 38 took to lifeboats.

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LITTLE LEFTY'S CARTOONEWS



This shot of college students skiing near Moscow in the Soviet Union is typical of the whole country, where winter sports, helped by the largest budget in history, are reaching everyone.

For All the Youth in The USSR



man lightly.

"His crouch? I've fought men who crouched before and know what to do about it. I punch more than one way.

"Yes, you can say I expect to win by a knockout. I always try to win as fast as I can."

Trainer Blackburn added that Joe was in perfect shape. He's been up at 6 and to bed at 7 and hit the wintry road for seven miles every morning. "He's in as good shape as I've ever seen him. He's not yet 27 and still going up."

SMALLER FIELDS IN MILLROSE RACES

Trade Union, YCL, Red Army Sponsor Competition

sliding, tobogganing) and many inter-city skating competitions. Moscow's skating team recently contrasted the skaters of Riga, Gorky, Sverdlovsk and Lenin grad on January 26.

Pointing out that "The rather narrow Millrose track can accommodate five starters comfortably in the middle distance runs, but even five is a crowd at 600 yards, a route which is virtually a prolonged sprint from gun to tape," Schmers has limited the entries to four, while one more starter will be permitted for the 1,000 yard run and the historic Wanamaker Mile.

As a result of this ruling has been to transfer Gen. Venizel out of the mile run, where he has traditionally appeared, into the 1,000-yard event, where he will race against such speedy competition as John Borican, the crack Negro distance star; Jim Kehoe, Lynn Radcliffe and Jim Rafferty.

The four who are expected to give a better performance because of the elimination of the overcrowding hazard in the famous Millrose 600 are Jim Herbert, winner of this distance at the Metropolitan meet two weeks ago; Roy Cochran, John Quigley and Wes Wallace.

Fight Results

(St. Nick's)—Antonio Fernandez, 150%, Chile, outpointed Milo Theodore, 149%, Rumania (8); Joe Basora, 153%, Puerto Rico, outpointed Vince Fratello, 160%, Hackensack, N. J. (8).

TORONTO.—Eddie Peirin, 118, Montreal, scored technical knockout over Alex McCullough, 118, Hamilton, Ont. (3); Dave Castilleaux, 135, Montreal, outpointed Tom Spiegel, 127, Uniontown, Pa. (10).

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